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Monday, November 11, 1968 -- 12:45 p.m.

Mr. President:

With respect to your questions on the DMZ:

-- On October 23, in answer to your question, General Momyer said he thought the enemy might do a certain amount of desultory shelling across the DMZ to remind us they are there, but nothing like the attacks against Con Thien or Gio Linh where hundreds of shells were fired from or across the DMZ at our men.

He repeated: I believe the threat of violation is wholly acceptable.

Attached is General Abrams' message on the rules of engagement he requested. (Tab A)

At Tab B is yesterday's operational intelligence summary indicating 5 successive days without enemy activity in the DMZ.

Walt Rostow

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